



CITY COUNCIL

AGENDA REQUEST

AGENDA OF:	07-06-10	AGENDA REQUEST NO:	V-B
INITIATED BY:	DAVID C. WORLEY, P.E., ASSISTANT PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR	RESPONSIBLE DEPARTMENT:	PUBLIC WORKS
PRESENTED BY:	DAVID C. WORLEY, P.E. <i>DLW</i> ASSISTANT PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR	DEPARTMENT HEAD:	KAREN DALY <i>kd</i> ASSISTANT CITY MANAGER
		ADDITIONAL DEPARTMENT. HEAD (S):	N/A
SUBJECT / PROCEEDING:	SPEED LIMITS REVISIONS - ORDINANCE NO. 1787 FIRST READING OF ORDINANCE NO. 1787 AND PASS TO SECOND READING		
EXHIBITS:	PROPOSED ORDINANCE NO. 1787 MAPS OF SPEED ZONE		
CLEARANCES		APPROVAL	
LEGAL:	JOE MORRIS, CITY ATTORNEY <i>JCM for JDM</i>	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:	N/A
PURCHASING:	N/A	ASST. CITY MANAGER:	KAREN DALY <i>kd</i>
BUDGET:	N/A	CITY MANAGER:	ALLEN BOGARD <i>AB</i>
BUDGET			
EXPENDITURE REQUIRED: \$		N/A	
CURRENT BUDGET: \$		N/A	
ADDITIONAL FUNDING: \$		N/A	
RECOMMENDED ACTION			
Approve Ordinance No. 1787 by amending the speed zone ordinance by adding corridors in the recently annexed Riverpark.			

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Due to the annexation of Riverpark on December 1, 2009, there are three new roadways that need to be included in the Speed Regulations Ordinance. The following three collectors: West Riverpark Drive, East Riverpark Drive, and Summit Creek Drive, are recommended being added to the Speed Regulations Ordinance. A speed zone study was completed for all three corridors and the recommendation is that there be no changes to the posted speed for all three roads.

The Public Works Department recommends that the City Council approve the revisions to the existing Ordinance Section 5-128(a) & 5-128(b) and pass to second reading.

EXHIBITS

ORDINANCE NO. 1787

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SUGAR LAND, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 5 (PUBLIC PROPERTY AND SERVICES) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES BY ADDING SPEED ZONES FOR EAST RIVERPARK DRIVE, WEST RIVERPARK DRIVE, AND SUMMIT CREEK DRIVE.

WHEREAS, the Texas Transportation Code authorizes the City Council to alter the speed limits on city roadways based on the results of an engineering and traffic investigation; and

WHEREAS, based on the results of the City's engineering and traffic investigation, the City Council desires to alter the speed limits on one or more roadways; NOW THEREFORE:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SUGAR LAND, TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 5-128 (b) is amended by adding a new speed zone for East Riverpark Drive inserted under Dulles Avenue to read as follows:

East Riverpark Drive

- (1) From north U.S. Highway 99 to south U.S. Highway 99, a distance of approximately 0.899 miles, 35 miles per hour.

Section 2. That Section 5-128 (b) is amended by adding a new speed zone for Summit Creek Drive inserted under Settlers Way Boulevard to read as follows:

Summit Creek Drive

- (1) From East Riverpark to U.S. Highway 59 Frontage Road, a distance of approximately 0.462 miles, 30 miles per hour.

Section 3. That Section 5-128 (b) is amended by adding a new speed zone for West Riverpark Drive inserted under West Airport Boulevard to read as follows:

West Riverpark Drive

- (1) From Wimberly Canyon Drive to U.S. 99, a distance of approximately 0.136 miles, 35 miles per hour.

Section 4. That any person found guilty of violating this ordinance will be fined not more than \$200.00 for each offense. Notice of the enactment of this ordinance will be given by publishing the ordinance or its descriptive caption and penalty in the City's official newspaper one time within thirty days of passage.

Section 5. That the provisions of this ordinance are severable and the invalidity of any part of this ordinance will not affect the validity of the remainder of the ordinance.

APPROVED on first consideration on _____, 2010.

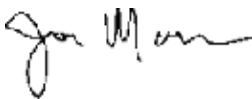
ADOPTED upon second consideration on _____, 2010.

James A. Thompson, Mayor


ATTEST:

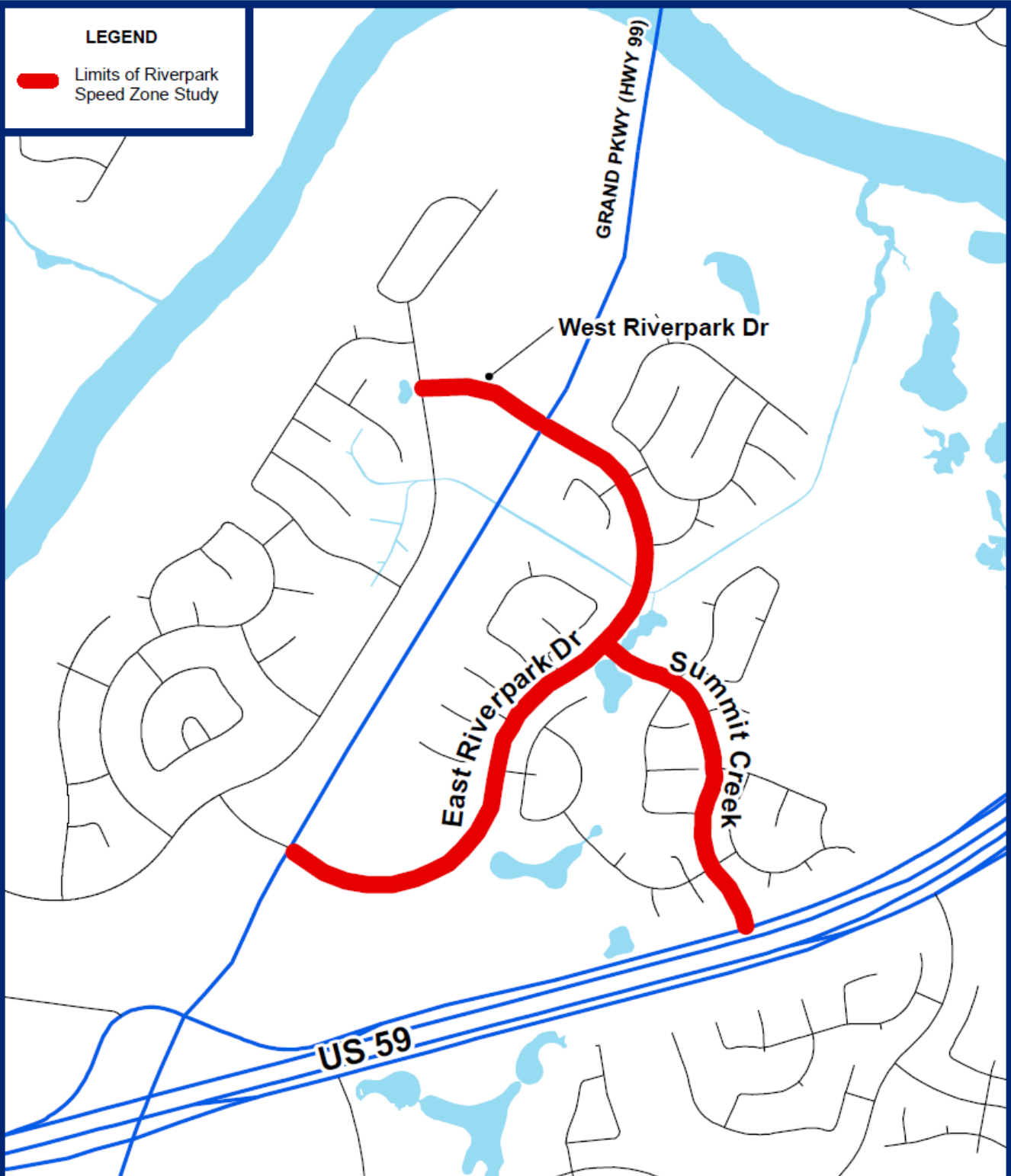
Glenda Gundermann, City Secretary

Reviewed for Legal Compliance:

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LEGEND

 Limits of Riverpark Speed Zone Study



CITY OF SUGAR LAND

Riverpark Speed Zone Study

